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Upland cotton ginned prior to October 1 this season contained record proportions of grade 41 and staple 33, according to the Cotton Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA. Grade 41 made up almost 44 percent of ginnings prior to October while staple 33 accounted for over 35 percent. This was the largest proportion of grade 41 and staple 33 in ginnings prior to October 1 in any crop since records were established in 1938. Average mike and fiber strength of this season's early ginnings were lower than a year earlier.

White grades 41 and higher accounted for almost 59 percent of total upland ginnings prior to October 1 this season. This was the largest percentage in these grades since 1969 and compares with 48 percent a year ago and 57 percent in 1974. The proportion of ginnings in all White grades was 73 percent, up from 66 percent a year earlier. Light Spotted grades made up 24 percent of ginnings through September 30 against 32 percent last year. The average grade index was 91.5 (grade 31=100), up from 90.7 a year earlier.

Cotton stapling 33 and shorter comprised 54 percent of upland ginnings through September 30. This was the largest proportion of these lengths in any crop since 1967 and compares with 49 percent a year earlier and 34 percent two years ago. Staple 34 made up 36 percent of this season's ginnings compared with 31 percent through the same period a year ago. Staple 35 comprised 10 percent this year against 18 percent last season. Staples 36 and longer made up one percent of ginnings prior to October 1 compared with 2.5 percent a year earlier. The average staple was 33.3 thirty-seconds inches against 33.4 a year ago.

Fiber strength of cotton ginned prior to October 1 this season averaged 82,000 pounds per square inch, down from 84,000 pounds a year earlier. Cotton weaker than 80,000 psi made up 31 percent of ginnings through September 30 compared with 20 percent last season. Cotton 90,000 psi and stronger comprised about nine percent of this season's ginnings against 11 percent a year earlier.

The average mike of upland cotton ginned prior to October 1 this season was 43, down slightly from 44 through the same period last season. Cotton in the 35-49 mike range accounted for 74 percent of ginnings through September 30, down sharply from 83 percent a year earlier. Cotton 34 and below comprised 10 percent of this season's ginnings compared with two percent last year. Seventeen percent of the ginnings through September 30 miked 50 or higher against 15 percent a year earlier.

Cotton ginned prior to October 1 this season totaled 572,900 running bales, according to the Bureau of the Census. This compares with 373,200 bales prior to October 1 last season and 827,300 bales two years ago.

The supply of upland cotton to October 1 this season (carryover plus ginnings) totaled 4.1 million bales, down about 1.7 million bales from a year earlier. The grade distribution indicates a decrease of about 0.8 million bales in this season's supply of White grades 41 and higher. White grades 51 and lower decreased 0.3 million bales. Supplies of the Light Spotted grades decreased about 0.6 million bales while supplies of the Spotted grades increased slightly. Staple distribution showed a reduction of about 1.2 million bales in the supply of staples 34 and 35. Supplies of all staple lengths were below a year earlier except for small increases in supplies of staples 33, 38 and 29 and shorter.

Table 1. Upland cotton in the United States, ginnings and supply, by grade 1/

Grade	September 1-30			Season through September 30			Supply to October 1			Change in Supply	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1976 from 1975
	Bales	Bales	Pct.	Pct.	Bales	Bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 bales
<u>White</u>											
11	-	-	-	-	-	-	**	**	*	*	0
21	374	401	0.2	0.2	386	1,242	28	26	0.5	0.6	-2
30	19	73	*	*	19	108	11	22	0.2	0.5	+11
31	24,851	21,211	12.1	10.7	36,212	71,069	552	575	9.5	14.1	+23
40	2,656	4,158	1.3	2.1	4,496	12,887	379	343	6.5	8.4	-36
41	74,958	62,938	36.6	31.7	138,874	250,468	1,929	1,093	33.3	26.8	-836
50	5,495	2,206	2.7	1.1	9,754	7,014	337	264	5.8	6.5	-73
51	17,638	18,584	8.6	9.4	50,670	60,120	698	460	12.1	11.3	-238
60	113	51	0.1	*	420	166	17	11	0.3	0.3	-6
61	2,827	7,955	1.4	4.0	4,777	12,793	92	95	1.6	2.3	+3
70	4	-	*	-	4	-	**	**	*	*	0
71	303	1,929	0.1	1.0	583	2,298	13	14	0.2	0.3	+1
<u>Light Spotted</u>											
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	**	-	*	*	0
22	-	44	-	*	-	102	13	4	0.2	0.1	-9
32	14,476	9,365	7.1	4.7	17,524	22,746	330	199	5.7	4.9	-131
42	39,083	37,117	19.1	18.7	71,971	83,813	815	462	14.1	11.3	-353
52	18,024	21,867	8.8	11.0	27,884	30,274	281	204	4.9	5.0	-77
<u>Spotted</u>											
13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
23	-	-	-	-	-	12	5	3	0.1	0.1	-2
33	118	501	0.1	0.3	234	1,066	37	67	0.6	1.6	+30
43	1,193	2,877	0.6	1.4	3,238	6,664	113	110	2.0	2.7	-3
53	1,446	4,102	0.7	2.1	3,995	5,631	61	61	1.1	1.5	0
<u>Tinged 2/</u>	52	51	*	*	152	86	16	33	0.3	0.8	+17
<u>Stained 2/</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-	**	5	*	0.1	+5
<u>Light Gray</u>											
16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
26	9	37	*	*	9	49	1	**	*	*	-1
36	23	95	*	*	98	360	3	3	0.1	0.1	0
46	49	22	*	*	49	91	6	2	0.1	*	-4
<u>Gray</u>											
17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
27	-	-	-	-	-	-	**	-	*	*	0
37	-	-	-	-	-	12	**	**	*	*	0
47	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	1	*	*	-1
Below Grade 3/	926	3,130	0.5	1.6	1,891	3,672	48	29	0.8	0.7	-19
All grades	204,637	198,714	100.0	100.0	373,240	572,755	5,787	4,086	100.0	100.0	-1,701

1/ Data for current season are preliminary.

2/ Includes all grades.

3/ Bales that are lower in grade than the lowest official standard for the corresponding color group.

* Less than 0.05 percent. ** Less than 500 bales.

Table 2. Upland cotton in the United States, ginnings and supply, by staple 1/

Staple	September 1-30			Season through September 30			Supply to October 1			Change in Supply 1976 from 1975
	1975	1976	1975	1975	1976	1975	1975	1976	1975	
	Bales	Bales	Pct.	Bales	Bales	Pct.	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	Pct.	1,000 bales
26 and shorter	26	-	*	26	-	*	**	1	*	+1
28	22	21	*	22	21	*	7	16	0.1	+9
29	72	342	*	72	354	*	63	71	1.1	+8
30	2,534	2,373	1.2	2,872	2,987	0.8	279	226	4.8	-53
31	29,689	10,643	14.5	31,576	18,073	8.5	327	210	5.7	-117
32	57,726	24,802	28.3	72,561	83,940	19.4	387	298	6.7	-89
33	18,556	46,305	9.1	74,459	201,507	19.9	549	558	9.5	+9
34	38,459	70,416	18.8	115,601	206,135	31.1	1,675	1,202	28.9	-473
35	49,636	38,616	24.3	66,593	54,161	17.8	1,843	1,126	31.8	-717
36	7,427	5,161	3.6	8,968	5,542	2.4	591	324	10.2	-267
37	306	35	0.1	306	35	0.1	57	39	1.0	-18
38	184	-	0.1	184	-	*	6	12	0.1	+6
39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40 and longer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	0.1	0
All staples	204,637	198,714	100.0	373,240	572,755	100.0	5,787	4,086	100.0	-1,701

1/ Data for current season are preliminary.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

** Less than 500 bales.

Table 3. Specified measures of quality for upland ginnings 1/

Item	September 1-30		Season through September 30		Supply to October 1	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
Grade index (Mid. White=100)	91.3	89.4	90.7	91.5	91.2	91.3
Average staple, 32nd. inch	33.2	33.5	33.4	33.3	33.9	33.7
Rough preparation, percent	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	-	-
Tenderable, percent 2/	53.9	46.4	54.3	50.2	-	-
Average mike reading	4.5	4.2	4.4	4.3	-	-
Average fiber strength (Mpsi) 3/	85.0	83.9	83.6	82.3	-	-

1/ Data for current season are preliminary.

2/ Tenderable for grade, staple and mike in settlement of futures contracts.

3/ Excludes North Carolina. 1/8" gage fiber strength tests are being made on North Carolina cotton in lieu of the zero gage fiber strength tests. These tests are made in cooperation with the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and are being reported in the weekly report "Quality of Cotton Classed Under Smith-Doxey Act - Southeastern Area".

* Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 4. Percentage distribution of micronaire readings for upland ginnings prior to October 1, 1976 with 1975 comparisons, by states 1/

State	2.6 and below		2.7-2.9		3.0-3.2		3.3-3.4		3.5-3.9		4.0-4.4		4.5-4.9		5.0-5.2		5.3 and above		Totals						Average mike			
	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	Below 3.5	3.5-4.9	5.0 and above	1975	Pct.	1976	Rdg.	Rdg.
N. C.	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	32.7	-	64.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	97.3	-	-	-	4.0	-
S. C.	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	3.1	-	48.6	5.1	45.1	42.1	2.6	43.0	-	7.7	-	2.1	3.7	-	96.3	90.2	-	9.8	3.9	4.5	4.5	
Ga.	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	1.8	-	13.7	3.6	66.0	5.4	18.1	68.1	-	19.4	-	3.5	2.2	-	97.8	77.1	-	22.9	4.2	4.8	4.8	
Ala.	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	2.1	-	10.9	4.6	54.9	28.7	31.0	39.2	-	19.5	-	8.0	3.2	-	96.8	72.5	-	27.5	4.3	4.7	4.7	
Miss.	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	1.3	1.0	14.9	23.8	45.7	55.1	32.9	15.6	4.5	4.5	0.2	-	1.8	79.9	93.5	20.1	4.7	4.7	4.3	4.3	
Tenn.	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	0.4	-	3.9	-	33.9	-	44.4	-	15.3	-	1.7	-	0.8	-	82.2	-	17.0	-	4.6	-	-	
Mo.	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	2.8	-	27.3	-	49.0	-	17.8	-	3.0	-	0.1	-	79.1	-	20.8	-	4.6	-	-	
Ark.	-	-	*	-	0.2	0.6	*	0.3	0.9	7.8	11.8	54.9	47.6	35.7	28.1	0.7	11.4	-	0.2	0.9	60.3	98.4	39.5	0.7	4.8	4.3	4.3	
La.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.6	3.6	12.3	36.4	70.1	49.9	15.9	8.8	1.1	1.0	-	0.3	83.0	89.9	17.0	9.8	4.7	4.5	4.5	
Okla.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	
Tex.	*	0.1	0.2	0.9	1.1	3.9	1.4	5.6	15.1	22.0	35.5	21.0	34.6	28.8	10.0	14.3	2.0	3.4	2.7	10.5	85.2	71.8	12.1	17.7	4.4	4.3	4.3	
N. M.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	
Ariz.	-	0.3	-	0.3	-	0.6	-	1.6	4.3	16.9	13.4	26.1	39.5	37.0	35.3	13.5	7.5	3.7	-	2.8	57.2	80.0	42.8	17.2	4.8	4.5	4.5	
Calif.	-	-	-	0.2	-	3.4	0.1	1.7	16.5	23.7	60.9	39.3	20.4	18.3	1.7	11.9	0.4	1.5	0.1	5.3	97.8	81.3	2.1	13.4	4.2	4.2	4.2	
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	-	81.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	4.5	
U. S.	*	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.9	3.5	1.2	5.1	13.5	20.6	33.3	23.1	36.0	30.2	12.0	13.5	2.9	3.1	2.3	9.5	82.8	73.9	14.9	16.6	4.4	4.3	4.3	

1/ Data for current season are preliminary.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 5. Percentage distribution of fiber strength for upland cotton ginnings prior to October 1, 1976 with 1975 comparisons, by states ^{1/}

State	Zero Gage Fiber Strength (Mpsi)																		Average strength		
	64 & below		65-69		70-74		75-79		80-84		85-89		90-94		95-99		100 & above		1975	1976	
	Pct.	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	Pct.	Mpsi	Mpsi
S. C.	-	-	-	-	-	13.4	1.0	61.7	29.4	22.9	60.7	2.0	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	82.6	86.0
Ga.	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	6.9	-	44.9	-	38.6	-	7.8	-	0.9	-	-	89.2	-
Ala.	-	-	0.7	-	15.4	-	64.5	2.7	16.5	63.9	2.6	33.4	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	77.2	83.5
Miss.	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	18.9	3.4	32.3	13.6	43.6	19.8	4.5	59.8	-	3.4	-	-	-	83.8	89.2
Tenn.	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	30.6	-	31.9	-	30.8	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	82.7	-
Mo.	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	47.4	-	44.1	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79.8	-
Ark.	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	13.1	-	63.2	-	20.3	14.7	2.8	59.4	-	17.7	-	8.2	82.4	93.0	-
La.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	9.9	-	22.0	-	31.2	-	28.8	-	7.3	-	-	91.9
Tex.	-	-	*	-	1.1	2.2	18.7	32.5	41.0	45.6	28.4	16.6	9.1	2.8	1.1	0.3	0.6	*	83.6	81.4	-
Ariz.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	20.1	29.4	76.5	41.0	3.4	21.9	-	2.0	-	-	86.2	86.0	-
Calif.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	30.8	0.6	47.3	22.0	14.8	44.7	4.0	32.7	0.6	97.7	86.5	-
U. S.	-	-	*	-	1.1	2.0	18.8	28.9	42.7	42.1	26.5	17.9	8.2	6.7	1.7	1.9	1.0	0.5	83.6	82.3	-

^{1/} Data for current season are preliminary.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 6. Percentage distribution of the grade of upland cotton ginned prior to October 1, 1976 with 1975 comparisons, by states 1/

State	White										Light Spotted										Other Colored		Below Grade		Grade index 2/					
	21 & higher		30		31		40		41		50		51		60 & lower		22 & higher		32		42		52		1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.						
N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.2	-	27.0	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	2.7	-	2.7	-	89.0	-		
S. C.	-	-	-	-	1.2	6.4	0.8	18.7	53.5	41.8	17.4	14.0	9.8	8.1	0.4	0.4	-	0.6	3.0	11.4	6.8	3.1	0.4	1.6	0.4	0.2	-	91.2	93.2	
Ga.	-	-	-	-	0.4	1.8	0.4	1.8	15.6	35.0	18.5	-	42.5	12.3	1.3	3.5	-	2.1	7.0	7.1	33.3	12.1	3.5	-	1.8	-	-	87.3	90.1	
Ala.	-	-	-	-	3.4	5.8	3.2	1.2	42.8	43.4	3.3	1.2	9.9	4.6	-	-	-	5.8	26.5	29.9	7.7	1.2	1.1	6.9	2.1	-	90.0	91.6		
Miss.	0.5	0.9	-	-	14.6	8.4	5.8	3.2	53.8	69.3	6.7	3.5	16.4	11.6	0.6	0.9	-	-	-	1.6	1.4	-	0.6	-	0.2	-	-	93.2	93.2	
Tenn.	0.2	-	-	-	5.4	-	1.2	-	57.0	-	3.4	-	19.3	-	1.2	-	-	1.0	-	9.4	-	1.7	-	0.2	-	-	-	91.6	-	
Mo.	0.1	-	-	-	16.1	-	1.7	-	57.2	-	3.3	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	13.0	-	1.0	-	0.2	-	-	-	94.2	-	
Ark.	-	-	-	-	5.1	8.9	2.3	6.1	66.3	72.9	7.8	3.7	7.6	4.4	0.2	-	-	1.5	1.4	8.1	2.0	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.3	-	-	92.9	94.0	
Ia.	0.5	0.3	-	-	22.7	21.5	1.3	2.3	54.7	55.5	1.8	1.8	8.1	6.3	0.3	0.1	-	1.6	5.6	6.9	5.5	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.2	0.3	-	94.0	94.5	
Okla.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.0	-	
Tex.	0.1	0.2	*	*	8.4	11.3	0.7	1.9	32.7	42.5	1.7	1.0	15.1	11.0	1.9	2.9	-	5.3	3.9	22.0	16.0	9.1	5.9	2.4	2.7	0.6	0.7	90.0	91.1	
N. M.	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	
Ariz.	5.4	0.3	-	-	29.5	33.4	-	5.3	43.5	33.0	-	0.5	-	2.4	-	0.3	-	0.5	17.3	14.5	4.3	8.7	-	0.3	-	0.8	-	-	96.6	95.8
Calif.	0.9	-	-	-	74.5	45.6	11.6	12.6	9.4	35.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	2.6	-	0.2	-	1.5	2.3	1.3	1.3	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	98.8	96.8	
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	-	63.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	91.4	-
U. S.	0.1	0.2	*	*	9.7	12.4	1.2	2.3	37.1	43.8	2.6	1.2	13.6	10.5	1.6	2.6	-	4.7	4.0	19.3	14.6	7.5	5.3	2.1	2.5	0.5	0.6	90.7	91.5	

1/ Data for current season are preliminary.

2/ Middling White equals 100.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 7. Percentage distribution of the staple of upland cotton ginned prior to October 1, 1976 with 1975 comparisons, and total ginnings, by states 1/

State	Staple																								Average staple 2/		Total upland ginnings	
	28 and shorter		29		30		31		32		33		34		35		36		37		38 and longer		Bales	Bales				
	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.	1975	Pct.						
																									1975	Pct.	1976	Pct.
N. C.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	16.3	-	70.4	-	10.6	-	-	-	35.9	-	367	-		
S. C.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	1.0	15.3	41.7	55.8	55.3	28.1	1.8	0.8	-	-	-	35.6	35.1	5,101	3,303	
Ga.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	3.6	17.5	28.4	54.4	58.5	15.8	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	34.7	33.7	675	912	
Ala.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	21.8	50.7	66.6	42.7	10.4	3.2	1.2	-	-	-	-	34.5	33.9	1,322	1,025	
Miss.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	5.3	4.5	58.6	58.6	33.8	28.0	2.1	4.1	-	4.8	-	35.5	34.3	3,824	15,023	
Tenn.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	68.5	-	29.6	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	34.3	-	3,896	-	
Mo.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	49.4	-	47.6	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	34.5	-	11,392	-	
Ark.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	1.7	33.7	43.2	61.3	53.4	4.7	1.7	*	-	-	-	34.7	34.6	35,988	5,242	
La.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	0.8	32.4	43.6	53.9	53.8	12.1	1.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	34.6	33.8	2,493	27,694	
Okla.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.7	-	33.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.3	-	3	-	
Tex.	*	*	0.1	1.0	0.6	10.5	3.6	24.2	16.5	24.8	37.8	30.8	34.9	8.1	6.4	0.6	0.1	-	*	-	-	-	-	33.0	33.2	299,570	505,433	
N. M.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	37.0	-	10	-	
Ariz.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	29.8	8.2	69.1	64.9	1.1	26.4	-	-	-	-	34.7	35.2	884	5,550	
Calif.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	5.4	16.6	84.1	56.9	10.5	24.7	-	-	-	-	35.1	35.0	7,715	8,551	
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.0	-	22	-
U. S.	*	*	0.1	0.8	0.5	8.5	3.2	19.4	14.7	19.9	35.2	31.1	35.8	17.8	9.5	2.4	1.0	0.1	*	*	-	-	-	33.4	33.3	373,240	572,755	

1/ Data for current season are preliminary.

2/ Expressed in thirty-seconds of an inch.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 8. Percentage of ginnings reduced in grade, by specified causes, prior to October 1, 1976 with 1975 comparisons, by states ^{1/}

State	Grade reductions							
	Grass		Bark		Other causes		Total reductions	
	1975 Pct.	1976 Pct.	1975 Pct.	1976 Pct.	1975 Pct.	1976 Pct.	1975 Pct.	1976 Pct.
South Carolina	5.5	4.3	0.4	-	-	-	5.9	4.3
Georgia	2.7	10.5	0.9	3.5	-	-	3.6	14.0
Alabama	2.1	4.6	-	-	-	-	2.1	4.6
Mississippi	10.4	8.8	-	0.2	-	-	10.4	9.0
Tennessee	8.5	-	-	-	0.2	-	8.7	-
Missouri	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-
Arkansas	1.8	3.1	0.1	-	0.1	-	2.0	3.1
Louisiana	8.3	6.6	-	0.1	-	-	8.3	6.7
Texas	2.3	3.7	10.9	12.4	*	*	13.2	16.1
Arizona	-	2.7	-	1.3	-	-	-	4.0
California	1.1	1.3	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.3
United States	2.4	3.9	8.8	11.0	*	*	11.2	14.9

^{1/} Data for current season are preliminary.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

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